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Dr. Joshua Lederberg
Professor
Department of Genetics
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Dear Dr. Lederberg:

The Solomon A. Berson Memorial Committee would be most honored if you would accept its invitation to give the second Solomon A. Berson Memorial Lecture. The date that we would like to suggest is April 22, which would have been his 55th birthday, but this can be flexible. As indicated in the recent enclosed memorial issue of the Journal of the Mount Sinai Medical Center, Dr. Berson occupied a unique personal and professional position in the scientific community. It has been the desire of the committee to have as a speaker an individual who shared Dr. Berson's scientific and humanistic spirit, and whose work and personality he admired. Dr. Julius Axelrod, who shared a similar background to Dr. Berson, was our first speaker, we would be honored should you be our second. The honorarium for the lecture is \$300, in addition to all travel expenses. We are looking forward to hearing from you.

Sincerely yours,

Dorothy T. Krieger

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P.S. To interject a personal note, you may remember me as Dorothy Terrace (Barnard 1942-45) and subsequently as Dorothy Marks at P&S.